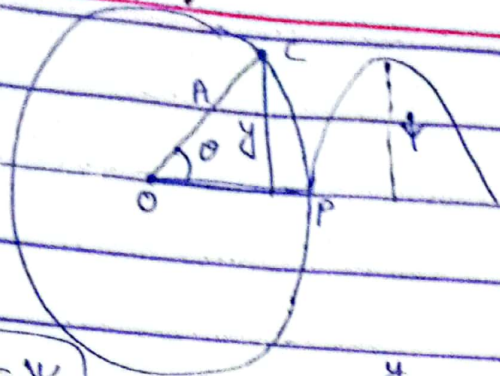


# Schrodinger Wave Equation.

[Hints]



$$y = \psi$$

$$\theta = \omega t$$

$$k = 2\pi/\lambda$$

$$\omega = \frac{v}{\lambda} \cdot \lambda$$

$$t = \frac{x}{v}$$

$$\boxed{y = \psi} \quad \sin \theta = \frac{y}{A} = \frac{\psi}{A} = \psi = A \sin \theta$$

$$\psi = A \sin \theta$$

$$\psi = A \sin \omega t = A \sin 2\pi \nu t = A \sin 2\pi \frac{v}{\lambda} \frac{x}{v} = A \sin \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda}$$

$$\boxed{\psi = A \sin \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Differentiate eq. 1

in differentiation  
[Sin  $\rightarrow$  Cos]

$$\frac{d\psi}{dx} = \frac{2\pi A}{\lambda} \left[ \frac{\cos 2\pi x}{\lambda} \right] \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

~~Derivative~~ Differentiate eq. 2

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} = \frac{2\pi A}{\lambda} \times \left[ \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \right] \left[ \frac{-\sin 2\pi x}{\lambda} \right] \quad \text{[Cos} \rightarrow \text{-sin]}$$

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} = -\frac{4\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \left[ A \sin \frac{2\pi x}{\lambda} \right]$$

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} = -\frac{4\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \psi$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{4\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \psi = 0} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Eq (3) is a standing wave eq. convert it into an equation that can be applied electron by substituting  $\lambda$

$$\lambda = \frac{h}{mv} \Rightarrow \lambda^2 = \frac{h^2}{m^2 v^2} \quad - (4)$$

For substitution of  $v^2$

$$K.E = \frac{1}{2} m v^2 \quad | K.E = E$$

$$\boxed{\frac{2E}{m} = v^2}$$

putting value of  $v^2$  into eq (4)

$$\lambda^2 = \frac{h^2}{m^2 \frac{2E}{m}} = \frac{h^2}{m \cdot 2E}$$

putting value of  $\lambda^2$  in eq (3)

$$\frac{d^2 \psi^2}{dx^2} + \frac{4 \frac{h^2}{m \cdot 2E}}{h^2} \psi = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2 \psi^2}{dx^2} + \frac{8 \frac{h^2}{m} E}{h^2} \psi = 0$$

|   |
|---|
| $E = K.E + P.E$ $E = E + P$ $E = E - P$ |
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$$\boxed{\frac{d^2 \psi^2}{dx^2} + \frac{8 \frac{h^2}{m} (E - P)}{h^2} \psi = 0} \quad \rightarrow (6)$$

Eq 6 (Schrödinger's) Schrodinger wave

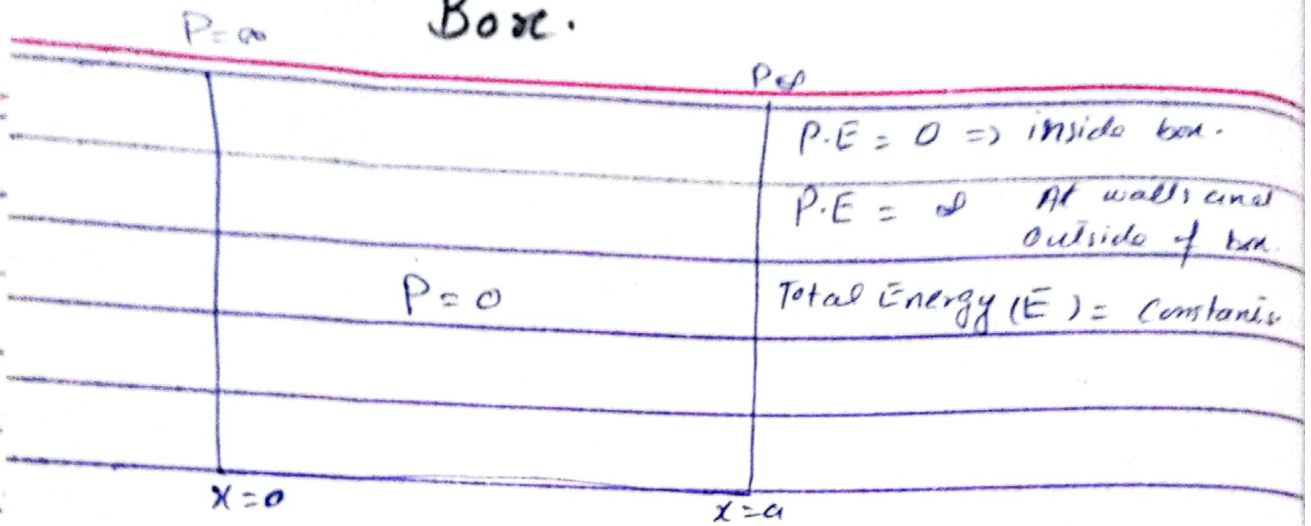
Equation representing particle moving along one dimension in space.

$$\frac{d^2 \psi^2}{dx^2} + \frac{d^2 \psi^2}{dy^2} + \frac{d^2 \psi^2}{dz^2} + \frac{8 \frac{h^2}{m} (E - P)}{h^2} \psi = 0 \quad - (7)$$

Eq (7) is a Schrodinger wave equation for a particle in three dimensions.

$$\nabla^2 \psi + \frac{8 \frac{h^2}{m} (E - P)}{h^2} \psi = 0 \quad \nabla^2 = \text{Laplacian operator.}$$

# Motion of particle in One Dimensional Box.



A particle is moving along  $x$ -axis in above box. So, Schrodinger wave equation for one dimension will be applicable.

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2}(E - P)\psi = 0$$

As  $P=0$

$$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + \frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2}E\psi = 0$$

$\frac{8\pi^2m}{h^2}E = k^2$  is a constant.

$\frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + k^2\psi = 0 \rightarrow$  It is a second order differential eq. It has following solution.

$$\psi = A \sin kx + B \cos kx \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Value of  $k^2$  for eq (1) can be calculated from eq (2) by applying boundary conditions

i) When  $x=0$   $\psi=0$

$$\psi = A \sin kx + B \cos kx$$

$$0 = A \sin k(0) + B \cos k(0)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 0 &\rightarrow 0 \\ \cos 0 &\rightarrow 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$0 = 0 + B \Rightarrow B = 0$$

Putting value of B in eq (2)

$$\Psi = A \sin kx + 0$$

$$\Psi = A \sin kx$$

ii) when  $x = a$   $\Psi = 0$

$$\Psi = A \sin kx + B \cos kx$$

$$0 = A \sin ka + B \cos ka \leftarrow B = 0$$

$$A \sin ka = 0 \Rightarrow A \neq 0$$

$$\sin ka = 0$$

$$\sin n\pi = 0$$

$$\sin n\pi = \sin ka$$

$$n\pi = ka$$

$$k = \frac{n\pi}{a} \quad - (3)$$

$$k^2 = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{a^2}$$

By comparing values of  $k^2$

$$\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{a^2} = \frac{8\pi^2 m E}{h^2}$$

$$\frac{n^2}{a^2} = \frac{8m E}{h^2}$$

$$E = \frac{n^2 h^2}{8ma^2}$$

$$k^2 = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{a^2}$$

$$k^2 = \frac{8\pi^2 m E}{h^2}$$

Value of  $k^2$  taken at start.

This equation is used to calculate energy of electron moving along x axis in one dimensional box.